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Title:	GLYCOSYLATED INDOLOCARBAZOLE SYNTHESIS

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Reply to a Restriction Requirement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.143

Dear Sir:

Please consider the following remarks sent in response to a Restriction Requirement dated 14 May 2001:

REMARKS

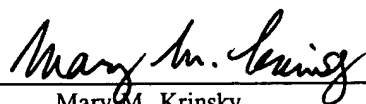
In the above-referenced communication from the Patent Office, the Examiner required restriction under 35 U.S.C. §§ 121 between two claim groups:

Group I (claims 1 to 6 and 11 to 19), drawn to a process classified in class 540, subclass 545, and

Group II (claims 9, 10, and 20), drawn to products classified in class 540, subclass 545.

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